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FROM:

Alpha Magnetic Spectrometer (AMS) Project Manager

SUBJECT:

Update to Acceptance Data Package Requirements (ADP)

Last year I documented (EA2-06-043) the AMS Acceptance Data Package Requirements for all of the collaborator's hardware that will soon be integrated in Geneva. Although the original memo asked for the ADPs to be provided 30 days before the hardware arrives at CERN, it is acceptable to deliver the ADP 30 days prior to integration onto the NASA provided Payload Integration Hardware (PIH). This should help alleviate some pressure for hardware that is to be delivered to CERN for significant off-line processing before it is integrated for flight.

The 30 days is required in order for NASA to review your ADP. Once we have completed a review, we will write a formal ADP acceptance letter which will document our acceptance of the package and any open issues, including a mutually agreed closure plan. If a closure plan is required, both NASA and the Collaboration Team Lead will sign the acceptance letter. This acceptance letter will allow us to begin integration of your hardware onto the PIH.

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